

REMARKS

By this amendment, claims 15-17 are amended and claims 18-19 are canceled. Claims 1-17 are pending in the application. In the Final Office Action, Claims 1-14 were allowed; and claims 15-17 were rejected as indefinite. The after-final amendment was refused entry due to allegedly new issues raised in claims 18-19, but claims 15-17, as amended, were indicated in the Advisory Action as being otherwise allowable. The present amendment re-submits the previously un-entered amendment to claims 15-17, but cancels claims 18-19. All pending claims are allowable and the application is now in condition for allowance.

Although not believed to be necessary, claims 15-17 are amended as suggested by the examiner to clarify that these dependent claims include each of the features recited in claim 14 to which they refer, including the underlying process features as well as the improvement features. It is this believed that the 112/2 rejection is overcome and the claims are allowable.

Further examination of the application, withdrawal of all objections and rejections, and allowance of all pending claims, are respectfully requested. Should any issues remain that are appropriate to resolution by telephone interview, please contact undersigned counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

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